

Mr. Oduber, Chairman of the "Temporary Aruba Carnival Committee" opens the meeting and asks the Secretary, Mr. Henriquez, to read the minutes of the last meeting. After these minutes are approved, the Secretary takes down the names of the Clubs represented here tonight and by whom they are being represented:

Mr. G. A. Oduber	- Aruba Tivoli Club
Eric Arends	- "
Hubert Arends	- "
Jan Maduro	- La Fama Club
Luis van der Linden	- "
G. M. Bislick	- "
Ulpiano Reyes <i>de la Liga de Nido Pasa</i>	- Antilliana
Frans Croes	- Social Club St. Cruz
Royer	- Lyons Club
L. V. Britten	- Hollandia
Tjie A Loi	- Rio Club
A. A. Harms	- Caribe Club
A. M. Brunings	- Suriname Club
Itm. Thuis	- Savaneta Kamp
I. de Kort	- Commandeursbaai Club
M. de Windt	- Excelsior Brass Band
N. E. Henriquez Jr.	- Rotary Club

Mr. Britten likes to hear how the plans are to be worked out between the different clubs. Mr. Oduber then explains that the first thing will be to try to organize next year's parade. The matter of celebrating carnival together with other clubs, choosing a queen from the club queens etc., will be left until later.

Mr. de Windt says that some clubs in San Nicolas have a committee for the same purpose. Mr. Tjie A Loi wants to know if anything definite has been decided during the last meeting.

Mr. Brunings thinks the best thing would be to establish a central place where all the parades will meet and from there on join together as one big parade. Mr. Oduber then asks to hear the results from those members who were present in the last meeting and who were going to contact their club boards.

Mr. Croes contacted Trappers and Tropical Country Club, who promised to attend this meeting tonight. As for his own board, he cannot give any definite answer yet.

Mr. A. A. Harms hasn't anything definite either. Same goes for Mr. de Kort.

The members present are asked to give a definite answer next meeting as to what their club attitude will be.

Mr. Brunings said the Surinam Club never took part in carnival celebration together with other clubs. However they are very interested to hear what the plans are.

Mr. Bislick also wants to hear what this is all about in order to report to his club.

Mr. Henriquez says that Rotary never celebrated carnival. However Rotary extends its thanks for being invited.

Itm. Thuis suggests not to elect a permanent board now, because most representatives don't know what their clubs opinion on this matter is.

Mr. Britten suggests the same. Mr. Tjie A Loi also agrees. He proposes that all representatives present report to their clubs and bring back a definite answer in the next meeting.

Mr. Henriquez suggests that another secretary be chosen in his place from one of the clubs who are almost sure to take part in the celebration. As Rotary is certain not going to participate, it seems logical to nominate another secretary. The meeting however asks him to stay on until the next meeting, when a permanent board will be elected.

Mr. G. A. Oduber then lists down those clubs who are not interested and will not have to be invited for next meeting.

Mr. Tjie A Loi says that the French people living in Orsted are very interested in carnival and will try to get this group to send a representative.

The date for the next meeting is set for Tuesday December 21st 1954 at 7.30 p.m. at the Commandeursbaai Club. The meeting will start at 8 o'clock and the representatives are urged to arrive in time. The meeting is then closed by the chairman at 10 p.m.